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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1 – 4

~~Part B~~ for December, 1896.

SUBJECT.

Introduction of Octroi on certain ar into the town of Dawangere.

Sl 4. 6974-5 To D.C. Chitaldrug.
L.7. 102-95 & the Comptr.
Rc. 1125-
Sanctions the introduction of Octroi on certain articles the town of Dawangere.

W D 88—GPB—50,000—24-7-16

Read:— 11 (9)

Letter dated 16 January 1896 c/o $\frac{580}{197}$ from the Dy Comr of the Chetat deng Dist submitting certain papers connected with the imposition of Octroi duty on several articles imported into the town of Dawson and requesting sanction to the same in view to enable the Mty to meet the cost of extensions which are now under progress and are about to be taken up in the town.

Order thereon

The Govt are not prepared to sanction the introduction of Octroi duty on the following articles

(1) Spices

(2) Glass ware

(3) Articles of furniture

(4) Salts &

(5) Arrearages which has

~~paid Sayers duty~~

but they will not object to

to the Octroi duty being

levied on all articles ~~charged~~

~~at~~ rates specified against

each in the following statement,

exemption being allowed

on head loads of articles

brought in other than

bags and tins as well as

deal wood cases

Description of articles	Rate of Duty ~~charged~~
~~Articles on which ad valorem duty is proposed to be levied~~	
1 Cotton cleaned - - -	Cart load Rs 0 - 8 - 0
2 Sugar	" 0 8 0
3 Oil & Ghee -	" 0 8 0
4 ~~Ale~~ Beer & wines	
In wood per gallon	0 - 0 - 8

	Description of articles	Rate of duty per cart load
(4)	All oils	Rs 0 — 8 — 0
(5)	Metals except iron and zinc	0 — 8 — 0
(6)	Cocoanuts Dry and fresh	0 — 8 — 0
(7)	Tobacco	0 — 8 — 0
(8)	Jaggory	0 — 4 — 0
(9)	Chillies	0 — 4 — 0
(10)	Tamarind	0 — 4 — 0
(11)	Onions	0 — 4 — 0
(12)	Iron	0 — 4 — 0
(13)	Timber	0 — 4 — 0
(14)	Bamboos, Date & bamboo mats, Tiles and Bricks	0 — 2 — 0
(15)	Grains — Rice, paddy, Ragee, Cholam, Cave, Kheme Cave, wheat, Grains & Cravane	0 — 2 — 0
(16)	Pulses - Alsande &c	0 — 2 — 0
(17)	Cotton uncleaned	0 — 2 — 0
(18)	Fibres	0 — 2 — 0
(19)	Oil seeds	0 — 2 — 0
(20)	Cotton seeds	0 — 2 — 0.

5/3/17

Asst Secretary

To.

The Dy Comr Chetaldurg Dist

Comptroller

(17)

Memo ~~on~~

Extension of Octroi in the Davangere Municipality

—

At present the Municipality of Davangere levies Octroi on Piece goods and realizes an annual income of Rs 1500

2 In view to meet the cost of several improvements now in progress and hereafter to be undertaken, the Municipal Board proposes the introduction of Octroi on articles mentioned cents carrying in the lists marked A B & C The arrangements for the levy of the duty are elaborately discussed in the D J Comrs memo

(3) The aggregate amount of ~~gross~~ increase expected from ~~each~~ the new taxation is guessed as Rs 3000, exclusive of the cost of establishment to be maintained at the gate.

subjected to Octroi duty in head quarter towns and the revenues realized in 1894-95 in Bangalore and Mysore Cities under Pro Dy 27/9/79 etc $\frac{3362\cdot73}{\text{mnl } 161}$ are given below in the margin.

(1)	Cocoanuts Fresh .. Rs	
(2)	— o — Dry —	1.9
(3)	Betel leaves — —	5926 ..
(4)	Sugar —	4730 ..
(5)	Jaggory —	4642 ..
(6)	Ghee —	7850 .. 0
(7)	Butter —	289 .. 0
(8)	Sheep and Goats —	6484 . 0.
(9)	Oil —	553 0
(10)	Oil seeds —	2968 .. 0
(11)	Timber —	5879 .. 0
(12)	Chunam —	2025 .. 0
(13)	Tobacco — —	5988 . 12358
(14)	Cloths of Indian manufr	11636 .. —
	Total Rs	64908 28058

Draft sanctioning the Dy Comrs proposal is submitted etc sanctioned

Dy 19/2/96

MATTER FOR COUNCIL.

—:o:— 15

SUBJECT

Letter No. 580/197 dated the 1 January 1896 from the Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldrug Dist. proposing the introduction of Octroi duty on certain additional articles besides piece-goods in Davangere Municipality (with draft of Govt. order proposed to be issued).

Circulated to Councillors.

By order,

[illegible]

6th March 1896 General Secretary.

Names	Date of receipt	Date of circulation
Rajadharma Pravina T R A Thumboo Chetty, Esq., C.I.E. ..	Seen by 1st Council	
V. N. Krishna Murti Esq.	9.3.96.	
Please return early on another Circular 16/3/96		840,
Khan Bahadur Abdul Rahim Esq.		+0 on
Seen 18-11-96		
The Revenue Secretary		

I want the office to inform the present Revenue & expenditure Estimate of probable increase in expenditure & population &c. The total length of Roads within municipality Of the Roads which are taxed or rather proposed to be taxed the probable proportion of what is common with municipality Workmen's report.

10.3.96

7 Memo 24(1)

Ser,

The receipts and expenditure of the Davangere municipality as estimated for 1895-96 are given below in abstract:—

(1) Balance on 1/7/96 = Rs 5,021

(2) Estimated receipts for 1895-96 } Rs 10,300

(3) Total including balance } = 15,321

(4) Estimated expenditure for 1895-96 } = 11 006

(5) Estimated balance on 30th June 1896 } 4,315

(2) The extra expenditure required is given as Rs 74,840, which includes Rs 21,840 on account of repayment of loan and Rs 44,500 on account of unequal works or in all Rs 66,340 required for items in

of the 2nd Councillor

hotel during Dy Comrs proposed

drive Ootroi on additional

in Davangere.

I want the following

ation".

The present municipal

duce and expenditure

Estimate of probable

ase in expenditure

1 New drains Rs 33,500
2 new roads — 5,000
3. Sinking wells — 1,000
4. Constructing Latrines 5000
44,500

native. In the Budget for 1896-97 now under examination in office, a provision of Rs 272 only exists on account of repayment of loan and Rs 2000 for maintenance of roads & drains and reserve. The Dy Coms does not say definitely how much will be required annually in the future on account of each of these items.

(3) Population of Davangere according to the census of 1891 is 8061

(3) Population do

(4) The length of roads in the town is 16500 yards as noted below.—

10,500 yards in town
6,000 — " — in the new extension

(4) The total length of roads in the municipality

the goods which are rather to be taxed the able proportion of is consumed in municipality to what out.

(5) The Dy Com submits a statement shewing the description of goods to be taxed in Davenport with probable proportion between the quantity consumed within municipal limits and that sent out

Submitted for orders.

Dy 19/5/96

D.F.
19/5/96

Raising the list appended to the
draft order as the proposal
now before this Council for addl taxation
in the municipality of Durbanpore
I have to point out that cotton
cleaned is returned as an article
the whole quantity of which is
sent out and no portion consumed
in the Town. In case this article
for purposes of Rd revenue is rung
in principle & the law partakes of
the nature of a trade tariff transaction
Rs 16 - sixteenths of the sugar is not
out & for the remaining one - sixteenth it
should be considered whether the
Revenue anticipated is sufficiently
large to justify the tax
Know if it is right to tax uncleaned
Cotton - I do not know for what purpose
these is used If for local looms
I would rather exempt it from tax
as for the products of such looms the
loom taxes levied
of chattes, Bamboos is opposed to the
ordered for Rs 3562-73 of the 27th Sept 1879
and would prove inconvenient & hard
to poor people - This remark also applies to date mats &c
objectionable to tax the very staple
of our food grains and I cannot
support the proposal to tax rice

Paddy, Cholum, "Sawé,
Grain & Navaine", Most of them
grains do form the food of the
poor classes & it is noteworthy
that the whole of Bagi brought into
the Town is returned as being sent out.
Either this information is faulty or.
correct the taxation is unjustifiable
on the additional ground that the
taxation is not of an article consumed
in the place — Pulses also come in this
category Perhaps wheat is a luxury
& maybe taxed, and as for annas share
of it is consumed locally the rate may
perhaps be raised to four annas.
Onions have also been regarded as
an article of necessity — & excluded from
the taxable articles in para 17 of the
G.O above referred to; and as much as
ten maunds only passes through this
place. Sawé is all sent out.

These are some of the remarks
which occur to me — and this list
of taxable articles seems to require
re-consideration —

We thought

Must also in the appeal for
Council office.
12/11/96

Subd to the 1st
Collector
Collected 11/96

Please convey the delay
in dealing with Mr Hyde
which was due to some
files having got mixed up
with others
Hyde

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Z 7 B

In the Chittagong Municipality, octroi is now levied on a large No of articles, under an order passed in 1894 or 1895 - Please put up that order. For the present a similar order for Dacca may perhaps suffice

24-11-96

The introduction of Octroi into the Municipality of Chittagong is under consideration. The articles & rates of duty will be the same as in the Chittagong Municipality with the following exceptions:-

The order is 1S812-2 214-93 dt 22/3/94 (Several cl W 26 in L.J 214 of 93) authorizes the levy of octroi on a large number of articles. The articles now taxed in Chittagong are given below

(1) Cocoanuts fresh
(2) " Dry
(3) Betel leaves
(4) Sugar
(5) Jaggory
(6) Ghee
(7) Butter
(8) Sheep and Goats Undecided
(9) Oil & oil seeds (Mustard & castor)
(10) Tobacco
(11) Clothes

R1
R½ Per head
R¼ Per load
Rs 1½ ad valorem

Sd/ 11/1

Sd-28/11/96

Dear Brother.

The Vancouver Municipality may for the present levy a tax on the same articles as most taxed at Victoria. The rates too may be the same. -

Yrs affly
25/11/96

Brief Notes of
at meeting of Council
meeting of
26-11-96

If this be done there will be no
inducement anticipated answer
at Vancouver? a revision
of the whole tariff in the municipality
taking into consideration the duties
in provinces only already effected, such
those to be effected in the near
future, will materially increase
the municipal revenue, if proper existing local licenses &
charges are imposed.

27-11-96 D.F.

Extract from the Council Proc: of the 83rd. Meeting of the Council :

28 — 11 — 96

Resolutions : —

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2. That the revised Budget Estimates of the Kolar Local Fund Circle for 1896—97 involving an additional Receipt of Rs 64384/- and an additional expenditure of Rs 49.704/- be passed as per statement appended.

3. That the introduction of Octroi into the Municipality of Davangere be sanctioned, the dutiable articles and the rates of duty being the same as in the Chitaldrug Municipality with the following additions :

(1) Timber, - Teak wood and Black-wood. — One rupee a cart. load;

Do- other Kinds. Eight annas a cartload.

(2) Chunam, four annas a cart. load

(3) Metals, one rupee eight annas per cent ad valorem.

× × × ×

So) K. Sheshadri Iyer,
Dewan. President of the

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Under Secretary.
4-12-96.

To
The R. B. Branch with files

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From The Deputy Commissioner
Chittagong District.

To The General Secretary
to the Government of
Bengal.

Dated 16th } January 1896.
Despatched 20th }
Received

Enclosures No. 7.

General No. 580.
No. 197.

Submitting copies of
certain correspondence
regarding the introduction
of Octroi duty on certain
additional articles besides
piece-goods in Darrangee
Municipality and -
soliciting sanction
for introducing the same
as a tentative measure

L RR
22/1/96

General Records

Please put up
(1) 3362-73 & 27 9/79
ML 161
(2) 4053-64 & 30.10.79
ML 202

580- Ex: / 197- 7-

Deputy Commissioner's Office
Chittledroog District
Dated 16th January 1896.

To

The General Secretary to the
Government of Mysore
Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit copies of the marginally noted papers regarding the introduction of Octroi duty on certain additional articles besides piece-goods in Davanagere Municipality, and to state that the necessity for introducing the same has been fully explained in the accompanying copy of the memo drawn up by my predecessor Mr. C. Seenivasiengar.

2. The town of Davanagere is rising in importance and consequently the Amount required for the laying out and improvement of the roads, streets and drains and for carrying out other

Continuing

Proceedings of the Davanagere Municipal Board dated 7th November 1894.

Memo drawn up by C. Seenivasiengar late Deputy Commissioner & Ex-officio President, Chittledroog.

Proceedings of the Davanagere Municipal Board dated 26th November with 4 enclosures

Sanitary improvements in the Town has been increasing every year.

3. Besides meeting this increasing expenditure, the Municipality have also to re-pay the loan advanced for the extension and improvement of the town from the Sanitary Budget. But the present Revenue of the Municipality is insufficient to provide funds for both these purposes.

4. It is in order to enable them to meet these charges that the Board have proposed to strengthen the resources of the Municipality by introducing a peculiar System of Octroi which is calculated to bring in a revenue of something like Rs: 3000 a year, without entailing any of those hardships to traders and obstruction to trade, that attend the ordinary Octroi System.

5. I consider the proposal a feasible one and I think that the

Government be pleased to
sanction it as a tentative
measure.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
[illegible]
Offg. Deputy Commissioner.

[illegible].

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Proceedings drawn up at a meeting of the Davangere Municipal Board held on Friday the 16th November 1894.

Exhibit I

Present

C. Sreenivasiengar Esqr.
President.

Mr. G. R. Sreenivasiengar
vice President

members

	Present	Absent.
Official	1. Mr. L. K. Swaminathayya.	
	2 Mr. V. S. Balasundrum Moodliar.	
	3. Andanoor Sivalingappa	1. Mr. Lingindra Rao.
	4. T. Shadaksharappa	2. Sivarudrappa.
	5. M. Shadaksharappa	
Non. Official.	6 C. Virupakshappa.	
	7 A. Basappa.	
	8. B. Adivappa	
	9. K. Chennaveerappa.	
	10. B. Nabi Sab.	
	11. M. Gurupadappa	

1. Read the accounts of Receipts and expenditure for the months of October

beginning of the month was Rs 4914-4-2
The receipts during the month amounted
to Rs 83-2-2 and the expenditure to
Rs 146-5-6. The balance left at the
close of the month was Rs 4852-0-10

Resolved that the accounts be passed.

II. The income from octroi on
cloth has of late shown a tendency
to decrease. The reasons seem to
be (1) the want of a katte or ware-house.
(2) Lasity of management. Resolved
that some central building be
secured or built for this purpose
and that strenuous effort be made
to prevent smuggling.

III In view of the extension of the
Town which is now being made and
of the large number of costly im-
provements partly in progress and
partly under contemplation in
the old Town, it is necessary that
steps should be taken to augment
the income of the municipality.
After full discussion resolved
that a proposal be made to levy
octroi on the following articles brought
in.

to municipal limits at the rates shown against them.

Sugar, jaggery, clean Cotton, Cocoanuts (both green and dry) kerosine and other oils and Tobacco at 4 annas per cart-load.

Cotton with seeds (cotton seeds) oil seeds (Gingeelyse) fibres hullies and grains of all kinds at 2 annas per cart-load.

Betel leaves at 2 annas per 'pinde'; ghee and butter at one anna per tin.

(Sd) C. Sreenivasiengar
President.

"Copy"

Asst Superintendent

Ag Deputy Commissioner

Memo 8 3 to Engl

The town of Davangere is being largely extended. The loan obtained for this purpose will have to be repaid from the Municipal income A few improvements are also being made in the old town. Many more remain to be undertaken. The present municipal income is not sufficient to meet these and other pressing demands. The Board are therefore right in looking out for means of increasing their present revenue. They propose to levy octroi on a few articles coming into the town. Smaller and less important municipalities than Davangere derive a substantial income from octroi I fail to see why Davangere should not also have it.

2. As observed in para 14 of the proceedings of Government No. 3362-73 Municipal 161 Dated 27-9-79 "it is not possible strictly to limit the duty to the articles actually consumed within the municipality" Again

"but when the articles are once brought into the local market, it is difficult to separate purchases for local consumption from those made by residents of villages beyond the municipal limits". Again "it is therefore not possible to prevent the municipalities deriving some portion of their octroi income from the consumption in villages outside the municipal limits". The proposal to levy octroi on excisable articles as soon as they are imported, does not consequently seem unreasonable. No duty can of course be levied on traffic which does not break bulk in its transit through a municipal town. But in the case of articles which do not simply pass through such town but are kept there for some time, the rules require that they should be detained in a bonded warehouse, Sayer katte, Taluk Cutcherry or other place specially provided for the purpose, or that in exceptionable cases they should be sealed and registered in a book and left with the merchants

themselves. In either case, should they break bulk before leaving municipal limits, the octroi duty will be collected thereon (vide Pro: of Govt no 11509-19 — L.F. 158.92 & 14/93

Davangere is an important centre of trade. The merchants thereof get goods from all parts of the country both in and outside the Province. They buy up goods as often as they can and keep them in their possession for several months. They sell some for local use and send off the rest to other places as often and in such quantities as may be found convenient and profitable. They are not in favour of depositing such goods (except piece-goods) in any warehouse or other place mentioned above. Nor are they agreeable to the proposal to have them properly sealed and registered in a book as often as consignments are received by them. Several consignments obtained at more or less distant intervals get mixed up and sales are made from time to time

out of the total store Goods likewise frequently added to by fresh purchases and arrivals.

In these circumstances, the merchants are in favor of a small duty being levied at the time of the importation of the goods into municipal limits, and to an entire abstention from all further interference on the part of the municipal authorities. This is not an unreasonable wish. They ask that all excisable articles brought into the town may be dealt with as articles intended to break bulk therein or to be consumed therein, and that instead of a small duty which, while not prejudicially affecting trade, would leave the municipality a fair margin of profit after paying the expenses of collection, may be levied by the municipality.

3. Next as to the articles proposed to be taxed, I find that there is not unnecessarily

that they are likely to be the most productive and that the duty thereon could be collected without involving needless annoyance or the stoppage and search of other commodities. In these respects they satisfy the conditions requiring attention under para 16 of the Proceedings of 27-9-79 quoted above. That para goes on to say that "as far as practicable, it should bear upon articles of luxury; at least it should not injuriously affect the retail prices of articles with which the poorer classes are mainly concerned, and that the rates of duty should be moderate. This para should not absolutely prohibit the imposition of duties upon articles other than those of luxury. Most of the articles named in the resolution of the Board are articles of luxury. The others are articles largely imported and

the river
of this town. The rates proposed
are considerably on the side of
moderation. In fact, they are a
mere trifle. They are not likely
to affect retail prices or to press
hard upon either the importers
or the buyers. That being so, the
inclusion of a few articles which
strictly speaking are not articles
of luxury does not seem open
to objection. It is these articles
that require strings of carts
to import them into the different
parts of the town. It is such carts
that contribute mostly to the
wear and tear of the roads
in a busy commercial town
like Davangere. It seems
nothing but fair that such
articles must pay a small
share of the cost of maintaining
such roads under para 15 of the
said

and Government order of
27th September 1879, "articles of
food" are classed as excisable
articles. It is true that a few
of them, such as grains, are
not included in the list given
in para 22 But I am disposed
to think that that list is
not exhaustive and that an
application for its extension
may be reasonably made to
Government whenever ne-
-cessary.

4. In Pro: No 4053-64 - Municpl 202
dated 30.10.79, the Government have
recognised the desirability of levying
the octroi on loads instead of on
weight or measure in order to
avoid the inconvenience arising
from the unloading of goods. As ob-
-served in that order, I would allow
the owners of goods, the option of paying
a duty on weight or measure
whenever they may desire it. For
this latter purpose, rates of duty
on goods as determined by weight
or measure will have to be prescribed

must course be had to rates fixed for loads.

5. Before submitting definite proposals to Government, I should like certain matters which are now left in doubt, to be fairly fully considered and cleared up. Different rates have to be proposed for the five different kinds of load mentioned in the list appended to the Government order of 30.10.79. The rates as now proposed are so exceedingly small, that in making calculations for smaller loads or for weights or measures, the result would be next to nil and the duty would be almost a farce. Certain articles have been proposed to be taxed on tins, but it is not clear what the duty leviable thereon would be if they were brought into the town in other receptacles or in carts &c. A few more important and unexceptionable articles seem to have been inadvertently omitted from

from the list proposed by the B
Sheep, goats, timber, Chunam,
metaled &c are among such
omissions.

6. The vice-president is re-
quested to explain my views
to the members of the Board,
and to have this question
again brought up for con-
-sideration at the meeting
which may be held in the
month of January next and
at which I shall try to be
present.

(Sd) C. Sreenivasiengar
Deputy Commissioner

23.11.94.

"Copy"

As communicated

Ag: Deputy Commissioner
Chitaldrug District

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Special meeting of the Municipal Board, Davangere, dated the 26th November 1895.

Present.

Mr. S. Narayan Row. Esqre - President
Mr. G. R. Sreenivasiengar, Vice - President.

Members.

Present	Absent
1. Mr. R. Ry. Gurupadappa	Mr. R. Ry.
2 " Naganahally Shadakshariappa	1 H. Ranjunda Row.
3 " Belagavi Adivappa	2. Chennagiri Virupakshappa
4 " Holenur Sivarudrappa	3. Sivalingappa.
5 " T. Shadakshariappa	4. Nabi Sab
6 " Hospl Assistant Pampiah Naidu	5. Urukonde Chenna - Virappa.
7 " Mr S Lawrence Subdl Officer D.P.W.	
8. Annagere Basappa	

Read memo dated 23rd Novr 1894 of the late President Mr C. Sreenivasiengar on the Proceedings of the meeting of the Davangere Municipal Board held on the 16th November 1894,

C. C

at which he presided.

The Vice President having stated that he has explained the views of the President as directed in the Memo, and has obtained the consent of the members in the matter of levying octroi on some of the articles in a manner suited to the condition of the trade at Davangere, the articles on which it was feasible or desirable to levy octroi duty were named, and after full discussion and consideration it was resolved that the articles named in lists A, B, C may be taxed at rates therein noted and those named in list D be exempted The members having then urged, in consideration of the peculiar condition of the trade, the desirability of levying duty on all excisable articles at the time of importation of the several goods into Municipal

Limits

limits, whether they break
bulk therein or not and to
avoid any sort of inter-
-ference on the part of the
municipal Authorities,
the matter was discussed
and was resolved that the
proposal may be submitted
to Government. The members
having further urged that
the levy of duty on any
articles according to weights
or measures or on any
article when brought in
small quantities other than
in gunny bags, tins and
deal wood cases, would be a
source of great inconvenience
and annoyance, the matter
was discussed and it was
resolved that no duty be
levied on articles according
to weights or measures, or
on articles brought in other
than bags, tins and deal
wood cases. As regards articles

coming in dealwood cases,
the dimensions of which
generally vary it was resolved
that it be regulated according
to the number of men
ordinarily required to
carry them, each man being
taken to carry 5 maunds;
so that when a case is carried
by two, it is considered to
weigh 10 maunds and pays
1/4 the duty on a cart-load. The
members having then been
informed of the probable
additional Revenue to the
municipality which the scheme
proposed would bring, they
unanimously agreed to the
submission of proposals to
Government with such
establishment as may be
deemed necessary for the four
gates to supervise.

(Sd) M S Narayana Rau
Ag: Deputy Commissioner.

(Sd) G. R Srinivasangar
Amildar
Duvanhalli Taluk

"Copy"

M S Narayana Rau
Ag: Deputy Commissioner

List A. 2/3

Articles on which annas 8 per cart load is proposed to be levied.

1. Cotton cleaned.
2. Sugar
3. Ghee and butter
4. Arecanut.
5. Spices (& miscellaneous articles generally sold by Druggists)
6. All oils.
7. Metals & except iron & zinc
8. Cocoanuts, dry and fresh.
9. Tobacco.
10. Glass ware, China ware and other sundry articles.
11. Articles of furniture.

(Sd) G. R Srinivasengar
Amildar

(Sd) M. S Narayana Rao
Ag: Deputy Commissioner

"Copy"

Ag: Deputy Commissioner

List B. 273/2.

Articles on which annas. a. 4. a. per cart load is proposed to be levied.

1. Jaggery.
2. Chillies.
3. Tamarind
4. Onions.
5. Iron.
6. Timber.

G. R. Sreenivasiengar
Amildar.

(Sd) M S. Narayan Rau
Ag: Deputy Commissioner

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Ag: Deputy Commissioner

List C.

Articles on which annas 2 per cart load is proposed to be levied. Except betel leaves on which it is proposed to levy at annas - " - 2 - " per load or pindi.

Grains.

a. Cholam or jola.
b. Ragi
c. Kure sane
d. Navané
e. Bengal gram. Entire or broken into pulses.
f. Green gram do
g. Black gram do
h. Horse gram do
i Wheat or wheat flour
j. Alsandu —— do
k. Juvar & Juvardhall
l Avaré — do
m. Save
n. Rice
o. Paddy.
p.
q. Cotton uncleaned
r. Fibres
s. Oil seeds.
t. ~~Salt.~~
u. Bamboos

Must

v Fibres

v. Tiles and bricks burnt

w. Cotton seeds.

x. Date and Bamboo mats

(Sd) G. R Srinvasiengar
Amildar.

(Sd) M. S Narayan Rao
Ag: Deputy Commissioner

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Ag: Deputy Commissioner

List D.

List of articles proposed to be exempted from duty.

(1) Fruits
(2) Fuel
(3) Grass
(4) Date leaves and stalks
(5) Cholam stalks.
(6) Stone
(7) Charcoal
(8) Lime stone
(9) vegetables
(10) Gravel and sand.
(11) Earth.
(12) Sheep and Goats
(13) Arms and ammunition

Note. Also head load of all articles, brought in other than bags and tins and deal wood cases.

d) G. R. Srinivasiengar Amildar

(Sd) M S Narayana Rao
Ag: Deputy Commissioner

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Ag: Deputy Commissioner

(65) 14 L.2034

Letter 9/16 January 1896

No 580/197 from the D.C. Cons.

Mun. 235 2

Chitaldrug D. requesting sanction to the introduction of Octroi duty on certain articles besides piece goods in the Davangere Municipality.

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Order thereon

The D.C. Cons. will be requested to submit information on the following points

1. Estimate of the probable increase in expenditure to meet which Octroi is proposed to be extended

2. Total length of roads in the Municipality

3. Of the goods which are proposed to be taxed

of what is consumed
in the Municipality to
what is sent out.

Seen
Dng 11/13/96

To the Dy Comm's
Chitaldrug

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From The Deputy Commissioner Chitaldroog District

To

The ~~Chief~~ Secretary to the Govt.
~~Dewan~~ of Mysore,
Rev: and Genl: Departments.

Dated 15 April 196

Despatched 16

Received

Enclosures No. 1

General No. 830
No. 538

In reply to

SUBJECT.

Submitting certain information regarding the introduction of Octroi duty on a few additional articles besides Piece-Goods in Davangere Municipality.

called for as directed by 2nd Councillor
Submitted Dy 11/5/196

13/5/196

Submitted with a tabular Memo
Dy 19/5/196

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References (to be entered only in the Dewan's Office.)

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No: 830 & 538 / 1. Deputy Commissioner's Office
Chitaldroog district

Dated, Chitaldroog. 15/16th April 1896

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To,

The Secretary to the
Government of Mysore
Revenue and General Department
Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge
receipt of proceedings of Govern-
-ment no 10573/Ll 158-92 dated 13th ultimo
requesting submission of certain
information regarding the
introduction of octroi duty
on a few additional articles
besides Piece-goods in Davangere
Municipality.

2. In reply I beg to state that
the amount required for
completing the works already
undertaken and carrying out
new ones which are considered

absolutely necessary in the old town as well as in the Extension, and for the repayment of loan sanctioned for the improvement now in progress in the Extension, is estimated at Rs 74840, the details of where of are given in the margin. In order to meet the above demand the Municipality has to make a more liberal provision year after year for expenditure. But the present revenue of the Municipality does not admit of such a provision unless the revenue is supplemented by other means.

Estimate of the probable amount required for the undermentioned works to be executed in the Town of Savanore.

Details of the works to be executed	Estimated cost of works	Expenditure required									
		During the year									
		Amount required for new works	Amount required for repairs and other charges	Drainage works	Repairing old roads		Metalling roads	Building new bridges	Cleaning tanks	Loan Fee	Total
In Town	105000	7500	500	4000	2000		2000	1000	3000	20000	74840
In Extension	60000	26000	-	10000	1500		1500	-	2000	21840	
Total	165000	33500	500	14000	3500		3500	1000	5000	41840	

Hence the proposals. The amount which can be made available annually for public works at present is about Rs 7000, which is hardly sufficient to cover the expenditure required for ordinary maintenance in the old town and also in the Extension.

3 The total length of roads within the town is 10500 yards and of those at the Extension is 6000 making a total of 16,500 yards.

4 A statement showing the description of goods proposed to be taxed and the probable proportion of the quantity consumed within the municipality to that consumed is herewith submitted

5. By levying a uniform rate of toll on all carts coming into the town, enough revenue cannot be raised to meet the enhanced expenditure that must be incurred in the town. The ordinary system of octroi cannot also be introduced into the town without impairing greatly affecting the extension

that sanction may be accorded
to the proposal now submitted —
which is calculated to meet
the peculiar requirements of
the Town.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

The descriptions of goods Davangere Municipality the probable proportion of the quantity the Municipality to that sent out

Description of goods	Probable proportion in annas Quantity Consumed within the Municipality	Quantity sent out	Remarks
Cotton, cleaned	..	16	✓4
	1	15	✓4
and Butter	4	12	✓ for ghee
Arecanut	8	8	
Spices	8	8	
Oils	4	12	✓4
Metals except Iron & Tyre	12	4	
Cocanuts: Fresh and dry	3	13	✓4
Tobacco	1	15	✓1
Glassware, China ware and other sundry articles	4	12	
Articles of furniture	16		
Jaggery	4	12	✓4
Chillies	3	13	
Tamarind	8	8	
Onions	6	10	
Iron and Tyre	4	12	
Timber	16		
Cholam	1	15	
Ragi	..	16	
Gingelly seed or Khuras		16	
Navane	4	12	
Bengal gram	8	8	
Green gram	4	12	
Black gram	4	12	
Horse gram	4	12	
Wheat and wheat flour	4	12	
Alsandi	4	12	
Togari	4	12	
Avare	4	12	
Save	.	16	
Rice	14	2	
Paddy	16	..	

34	Fibres	₹.	15-
5	Oil-seeds	..	16
36	Salt	₹	12
37	Bamboos	16*	..
8	Tiles and Bricks	16*	..
39	Cotton seeds	₹	12
40	Dale and Bamboo	16	

District Office
Chittledroog
Dated 15th April
1896

Superintendent
of Customs Inspection
Chittledroog District

Read:—

Letters Nos. 580/197 and 830/538 dated 16th January and 15th April 1896 respectively from the Deputy Commissioner of the Chital drug District requesting sanction for the imposition of Octroi on certain articles imported into the town of Davangere.

Mem. 235 4.

Order thereon No. 6974-5 / L.F. 102-95 dated 16/12/96

In modification of the proposals made by the Municipal Board of Davangere and the Dy. Commissioner of Chital drug, the Government are pleased to sanction the introduction of Octroi into the town on the articles and at the rates of duty, noted below:—

		Rate
1	Sugar.	4 ✓ per maund
2	Jaggery	2 ✓ — Do —
3	Ghee.	5 ✓ — Do —
4	Cocoanuts (fresh)	8 ✓ per one hundred
5	— Do — (Dry)	8 ✓ per hundred

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7 ——— —2— per maund

8. Kerosine oil ——— —½— per tin

9. Tobacco ——— —1— per maund

10 Betel-leaves ——— —2 for a bundle of 100 leaves

11. Timber, Teakwood and Blackwood . . —1— a cart load. ✓

12 — do — Other kinds . . . —8— — do — ✓

13. Cheroots . . . . . —4— — do — ✓

14 Metals ——— —1—8— per cent ad valorem ✓

(2) The attention of the Deputy Commissioner is invited to para 14 of Proceedings No. 3362-73 Mt. 161 dated 27-9-79 and he is requested to see that these duties are levied only on articles of local consumption and are no account extended to any article belonging to the transit or general trade of the country. Sewal No 1 in L.F 102 of 95

(3) The Deputy Commissioner is requested to report the date from which the tax will be introduced and to submit a supplemental Budget of the Municipality for 1896-97, showing

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showing on the side of receipts the amount of revenue that is likely to be ~~may likely be~~ realized from each article during the remaining portion of the year 1896-97, and on the side of expenditure the cost of establishments that may be needed for the collection of the duty during the period.

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Submitted
9/12/96

9-12-96

Secretary

Rec'd 8/12

To,

The Deputy Commissioner
Central Drug District
Comptroller

Redraft submitted
8/12/96

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore, Local Boards Branch, Municipal, dated 16th December 1896.

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		Rate.			
1.	Sugar	...	0	4	0	per maund.
2.	Jaggory	...	0	2	0	do
3.	Ghee	..	0	8	0	do
4.	Cocoanuts (fresh) ...	...	0	8	0	per one hundred.
5.	Do (dry) ...	...	0	8	0	per maund.
6.	Oil seeds (gingelly and castor)	..	0	4	0	for one kandi of 160 seers.
7.	Oil do	..	0	2	0	per maund.
8.	Kerosine oil	...	0	2	0	per tin.
9.	Tobacco	...	1	0	0	per maund.
10.	Betel-leaves	..	0	0	2	for a bundle of 100 leaves.
11.	Timber, teak wood and black wood		1	0	0	a cart-load.
12.	Do other kinds	...	0	8	0	do
13.	Chunam	...	0	4	0	do
14.	Metals	...	1	8	0	per cent *advalorem*

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C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldrug
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.

Ed.—H.A.R.

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Sanctioning the introduction of octroi on certain articles into the town of Davangere.

M. G. C. P. B.—16-1-97—120.